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\*Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See Section 240.17a-5(e)(2)



## OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, James Phillips	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial sta-	tement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
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	20 08, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
	al officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account
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(e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or	Partners' or Sole Proprietors' Capital.
<ul> <li>☐ (f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated</li> <li>☐ (g) Computation of Net Capital.</li> </ul>	to Claims of Creditors.
(h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requi	rements Pursuant to Rule 1563-3
(i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control	Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3
(j) A Reconciliation, including appropriate explanation	n of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the
Computation for Determination of the Reserve Re	equirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
(k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudit	ed Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of
consolidation.  [3] (1) An Oath or Affirmation.	
(i) All Oath of Affirmation.  (m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.	
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\*\*For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND REPORT OF INDEPENDENT CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

TELEMETRY SECURITIES, L.L.C. (a Delaware limited liability company)

December 31, 2008



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#### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

To the Member of Telemetry Securities, L.L.C.

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Telemetry Securities, L.L.C. (a Delaware limited liability company) (the "Company") as of December 31, 2008. The statement of financial condition is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the statement of financial condition based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America as established by the Auditing Standards Board of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the statement of financial condition is free of material misstatement. An audit includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Telemetry Securities, L.L.C. as of December 31, 2008, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

New York, New York February 25, 2009

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## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

December 31, 2008

### **ASSETS**

Securities owned, at market value (cost \$22,726,949) Receivable from clearing broker Other	\$22,897,355 50,193,680 
Total assets	\$ <u>73,194,462</u>
LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY	
Liabilities Securities sold, but not yet purchased, at market value (proceeds \$21,288,983) Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$22,150,509 142,376
Total liabilities	22,292,885
Member's equity	50,901,577
Total liabilities and member's equity	\$ <u>73,194,462</u>

#### NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

December 31, 2008

#### **NOTE A - ORGANIZATION AND BUSINESS**

Telemetry Securities, L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company (the "Company") is a broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and is a member of the American Stock Exchange, Inc. ("ASE"). The Company was established for the purpose of engaging in proprietary trading activities using strategies on a global basis in the form of trading in domestic and foreign securities and other financial instruments.

The Company's manager is Telemetry Investments, L.L.C. ("Investment Manager"). The Company's member, during the year ended December 31, 2008, was Telemetry Fund I, L.P. ("L.P."). The investment objectives and restrictions of the L.P. apply to the Company as if those investments were made directly by the L.P. Their loss is limited to the amount of their investment.

The Company shall continue until December 31, 2030 unless otherwise sooner dissolved or extended by Telemetry Investments, L.L.C. in its capacity as managing member of the Company.

As the Company clears all transactions through another broker-dealer, it is exempt from the provisions of SEC rule 15c3-3 in that the Company's activities are limited to those set forth in the conditions for exemption appearing in paragraph (k)(2)(ii) of that rule.

#### NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Securities Transactions

Securities transactions are recorded on a trade-date basis. The Company's functional currency is U.S. dollars. Securities traded on foreign exchanges in other currencies are valued by translating foreign-denominated prices into U.S. dollars, based upon quoted exchange rates as of December 31, 2008.

Securities Owned and Securities Sold, But Not Yet Purchased

The Company values securities owned and securities sold, but not yet purchased that are listed on a national securities exchange or quoted on NASDAQ at the last sale price on the primary exchange on which such securities are traded or NASDAQ or, if no sale occurs, such security will be valued at the last "bid" price, or, in the case of short positions, at the last "ask" price. Over-the-counter securities not quoted on NASDAQ will be valued at the last "bid" price on that date, or, in the case of short positions, at the last "ask" price. A security traded in the non-U.S. markets will normally be valued on the basis of the closing price quoted in its principal market.

## NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION (continued)

December 31, 2008

#### **NOTE B** (continued)

Valuation of Portfolio Investments

The Company has adopted the provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 157, "Fair Value Measurements" ("SFAS 157"). The adoption of SFAS 157 by the Company had no impact on its opening members' equity balances as of January 1, 2008. Under SFAS 157, various inputs are used in determining the value of the Company's investments. These inputs are summarized in the three broad levels listed below:

- Level 1 Quoted prices in active markets for identical securities
- Level 2 Other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar securities, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.)
- Level 3 Significant unobservable inputs (including the Company's own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments)

All of the Company's investments are priced at Level 1.

Receivable From Clearing Broker

Receivable from clearing broker includes cash held at the clearing broker, Merrill Lynch Professional Clearing Corporation (the "Clearing Broker"). Substantially all of the Company's cash and securities are held with the Clearing Broker. The Clearing Broker provides the Company with securities borrowed transactions to cover delivery requirements on short securities in exchange for deposits held at the Clearing Broker.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### NOTE C - NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT

As a registered broker-dealer, the Company is subject to Uniform Net Capital Rule 15c3-1 of the SEC, which requires that the Company maintain minimum net capital, as defined, of \$100,000 or 6-2/3% of aggregate indebtedness, as defined, whichever is greater. Net capital and aggregate indebtedness change from day to day, but as of December 31, 2008, the Company had net capital of \$44,876,895, which

#### NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION (continued)

December 31, 2008

#### **NOTE C (continued)**

exceeded its requirement of \$100,000 by \$44,776,895. At December 31, 2008, the Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 0.32.

The capital rules of the SEC and the ASE provide that equity capital may not be withdrawn or cash distributions paid if resulting net capital would be less than the minimum requirements. Additionally, the capital rules of the SEC and ASE also provide that the Company must promptly notify the SEC and the ASE about the withdrawal(s) of equity capital assuming such withdrawal(s) exceed(s) certain percentages of the Company's excess net capital.

Proprietary accounts held at the Clearing Broker ("PAIB assets") are considered allowable assets in the computation of net capital pursuant to an agreement between the Company and the Clearing Broker which requires, among other things, that the Clearing Broker perform a computation of PAIB assets similar to the customer reserve computation set forth in rule 15c3-3.

#### **NOTE D - CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

The Company maintains a separate capital account for each member. The capital accounts are comprised of initial and subsequent contributions less any withdrawals made during the period. The Investment Manager of the Company may admit additional members or capital contributions on the first day of each fiscal quarter or at such time as the Investment Manager in its discretion sees fit. Each member has the right to withdraw, within 45 days of giving prior written notice to the Investment Manager, its Capital Account Balance, as defined, from the Company effective as of June 30 or December 31 of any fiscal year occurring on or after the first anniversary of the initial capital contribution.

At December 31, 2008, the Company had no pending capital withdrawals.

# NOTE E - FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS WITH OFF-BALANCE-SHEET RISK AND CONCENTRATIONS OF CREDIT RISK

In the normal course of business, the Company uses various financial instruments as part of its strategies to meet its investment objectives. The execution, settlement and financing of these transactions may result in off-balance-sheet risk or concentration of credit risk.

The Company may be exposed to a risk of loss not reflected in the statement of financial condition for securities sold, but not yet purchased, should the value of such securities rise. The Company's principal activities are subject to the risk of counterparty nonperformance.



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TELEMETRY SECURITIES, L.L.C.

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL REQUIRED BY SEC RULE 17a-5

To the Member of Telemetry Securities, L.L.C.

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements and supplementary information of Telemetry Securities, L.L.C. (the "Company") as of and for the year ended December 31, 2008, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the Company's internal control over financial reporting ("internal control") as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.

Also, as required by rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including consideration of control activities for safeguarding securities. This study included tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in rule 17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness (or aggregate debits) and net capital under rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- 1. Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons and recordation of differences required by rule 17a-13
- 2. Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates

and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph. Because of inherent limitations in internal control and the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first and second paragraphs above and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control and control activities for safeguarding securities that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures, as described in the second paragraph of this report, were adequate at December 31, 2008, to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the members of the Company, management, the SEC, the American Stock Exchange, Inc., and other regulatory agencies that rely on rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

New York, New York

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